

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

Endowments Department - Andhra Maha Vishnu Temple, Srikakulam Village, Krishna District - Conduct of “Sahityotsavam” and “Aksharabhyasam” on 11<sup>th</sup> February every year in commemoration of Emperor Sri Krishna Deva Raya started writing the book “Amuktamalyada” in Telugu on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 1518 A.D. – Orders – Issued.

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**REVENUE (ENDOWMENTS.IV.1) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Ms.No. 1512

Dated:21.07.2011.

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**ORDER:**

The edicts reveal that Lord Andhra Vishnu in all his glory appeared to the Emperor Sri Krishna Deva Raya in an early morning dream and told him to compose the story of wedding of Ranganatha with Andal at Srirangam in Telugu. On the order of the Lord Andhra Vishnu, the Emperor Sri Krishna Deva Raya started writing the book “Amuktamalyada” in Telugu on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 1518 A.D. The Emperor Sri Krishna Deva Raya dedicated the classic “Amuktamalyada” to Lord Sri Venkateshwara, Tirumala.

2. Sri Andhra Maha Vishnu temple is located in Srikakulam village, Krishna District. It is a small and locally famous temple. The Emperor Sri Krishna Deva Raya started writing the book “Amuktamalyada” in Telugu on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 1518 in the subject temple. Due to lack of information on its significance, there is less flow of pilgrims to this temple, even though it is near to Vijayawada city.

3. Government have observed that it is in the fitness of things to conduct the “Sahityotsavam” by inviting eminent scholars and “Aksharabhyasam” programme for children on 11<sup>th</sup> of February every year, in commemoration of Emperor Sri Krishna Deva Raya, who started writing the book “Amuktamalyada” in Telugu at Andhra Maha Vishnu Temple, Srikakulam (V), Krishna District which will enable famous scholars across the State and the Country participate in the celebrations every year and help this historical ancient temple in its further development and popularization.

4. Government have examined the matter carefully and decided to celebrate “Sahityotsavam” by inviting eminent scholars in Telugu and “Aksharabhyasam” programme for children on 11<sup>th</sup> February every year, in commemoration of Emperor Sri Krishna Deva Raya who started writing the book “Amuktamalyada” in Telugu on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 1518 A.D.

5. Accordingly, Government hereby order that “Sahityotsavam” be conducted by inviting eminent scholars along with “Aksharabhyasam” programme for children on 11<sup>th</sup> of February every year in the premises of Andhra Maha Vishnu Temple, Srikakulam (V), Krishna District by the Endowments Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh in commemoration of great Emperor Sri Krishna Deva Raya, who started writing book “Amuktamalyada” in Telugu on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 1518 A.D. in the subject temple and to promote Telugu literature and culture.

6. Government accord permission to the Commissioner, Endowments Department to sanction Rs. 75,000/- (Rupees Seventy Five Thousand only) from the funds of Sri Durga Malleshwara Swamy Varla Devastanam, Indrakiladri, Vijayawada to incur the expenditure of the celebrations mentioned in para (5) above. He is also permitted to receive donations, if necessary, from the sponsors and/or philanthropists to meet the extra expenditure during the celebrations to promote the noble cause.

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7. The Commissioner, Endowments Department is requested to take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Commissioner,  
Endowments Department, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

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The Executive Officer, Sri Durga Malleshwara Swamy  
Varla Devastanam, Vijayawada.  
The P.S. to Spl. C.S. to C.M.  
The P.S. to Minister (Endowments)  
The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government.  
The P.S. to Prl. Secy. to Govt., Revenue (Endowments) Department.  
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